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Village Election a Quiet Affair

Carlstadt Village Council for 1915

F. E. McDiamond, Mayor
W. M. Cotter
S. F. McEwen

Less than twenty votes were cast at the village election Monday, F. E. McDiamond receiving the largest number of these, seventeen. W. M. Cotter was next with a poll of sixteen, and Dr. S. F. McEwen was third with fifteen votes. E. C. Hegy was the fourth candidate.

Sec.-Treas. V. E. Starr was Returning Officer, and the election was held in his office.

W. M. Cotter has been mayor during the past year, and Mr. McDiamond was also on the council. The only new member is Dr. McEwen, who, until last year, was Secretary-treasurer of the town.

It will be seen that the 1915 council will be composed of men of experience in the affairs of the town, and men who should be able to look after the common interests in an able manner.

Murray Goes to Montreal

Jane Murray, B. S. A., general manager for Canada of the Canadian Wheatlands Co., Ltd., of Salford, Alberta, and formerly superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Farm, at Brandon, has been appointed professor of cereal husbandry at McGill University. Dr. Murray will assume his duties at Montreal early in the New Year.—*Grain Growers' Guide*.

Yesterday was the Women's Auxiliary annual bazaar.

A Pleasant Evening

Last Friday evening in the Adams hall, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wood entertained a large number of friends. Artistic decorations beautified the hall. The occasion was a whist drive, there being nine tables and a most enjoyable time passed in this way. Mrs. A. J. Thomas won the ladies prize, a summer end sugar bowl. Mr. W. G. Soothard, winner of the gentlemen's prize, received a fine deck of cards and case. Mrs. C. F. Stärt and F. J. Baskin were presented with a doll and a tin horn respectively, as consolation prizes. A toothsome luncheon of dainties was served by the hostess. Following this, the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed in until rather early, when the guests bade Mr. and Mrs. Wood goodnight with many thanks and encomiums for the very pleasant evening.

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Clint Adams, of Tide Lake, was in the Hat, Wednesday.

All of our customers are pleased with

WESTERN QUEEN Flour

Many of them tell us it is the best flour that they have ever used. You can get it from us or any of the leading grocery stores in town.

We carry the best in feed that can be bought and sell it for less than the usual prices on poor stuff. If you are not our customers, come in and have a talk with us. We have bought several cars of good shorts. Have a look at them and see the difference between good shorts and poor shorts. We have both.

WIEST GRAIN Company

N. E. STUART, Manager.

WE HAVE DECLARED

war on the cold weather and ask you help us keep the enemy at bay by getting your next coal from FINLAY and COMPANY

We now have lots on hand. All kinds of Lumber and Firewood.

C. H. WAGNER, Manager, Carlstadt.

KING COUNCIL FOR 1915 ELECTED MONDAY

Heavy Vote Recorded by Advocates of Present Pound Law.—Only two of Last Year's Council Returned.—Three Votes at Helgoland

King Council for 1915
A. F. Foster.
T. H. Harris.
C. Rasmussen.
A. Truman.
Wm. Hunter.
J. M. Caines.

The raters of King municipality spoke in uncertain tones at the election Monday in favor of the men who stood for closed season law. A toothsome luncheon of dainties was served by the hostess. Following this, the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed in until rather early, when the guests bade Mr. and Mrs. Wood goodnight with many thanks and encomiums for the very pleasant evening.

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Some people are so busy supervising other people's business, that they have no time to attend to their own.

Two cars of hay have been shipped here by the government, but as yet, no instructions have been received as to the disposal of it.

C. H. Wagner had as guest on Sunday his brother, A. C. L. Wagner, of Calgary, C. P. R. Gasoline Expert.

only three qualified electors turned out.

Of the newly elected councilmen, Messrs. Truman and Caines are the only ones who hold over from this year. Messrs. Lahd and Foughy, who also were standing for re-election, were defeated on the election question.

J. C. Anderson, Sec-treas. of the municipality, was Returning Officer. Below is shown the vote for the various candidates at each polling place:

	Helgoland Royal school	John Dohr's Calnes school	J. M. Blue Grass school	Tripolis school	TOTAL
A. F. Foster	3	9	15	23	50
T. H. Harris	3	10	14	21	56
C. Rasmussen	3	9	10	23	51
A. Truman	3	7	14	19	58
Wm. Hunter	3	4	6	15	30
J. M. Caines	3	6	10	11	37
W. S. Benjamin	—	7	7	16	30
John Lahd	—	7	10	6	23
J. M. Foughy	—	7	4	10	21

Personal and Local Items

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King Municipality

Getting on to all who worked and voted for me, I tender my hearty thanks, and it will be my earnest endeavor to retain the confidence thereby shown in me.—Yours truly, T. H. Harris.

B. F. Hanson was in the Hat this week, returning Wednesday.

Mark Wilson returned this week from a trip to the St. Paul market with eight cars of cattle.

D. L. McKellar, of Peesles, left Tuesday evening to spend the winter with his old home, Glenco, Ont.

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Tripolis

A shooting match will be held at McCracken's on Tuesday December 22nd.

The old year will be danced out, and the new one, in, at the Tripolis schoolhouse.

Christmas Nearly Here

Next Friday is Christmas Day, gladdest of all holidays. Let there be "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men" in the hearts of all of us. Also, in our own comforts, let us remember those less fortunate, whose Christmas day may be without cheer unless we remember them. Let us scatter joy to all around, and it will indeed be the "happiest day of all the year."

At various points throughout the district there will be Yuletide entertainments.

In Carlstadt, Christmas eve, the members of the Methodist Sunday School will give a program, followed by a tree and treat for all the children. Everyone is invited.

On Sunday December 27th, at Rainey Valley, Unity Young People's Society will have a Christmas tree and program, to which all are invited. There will be a treat for all.

There will be a concert and Christmas tree at Royal schoolhouse the evening of December 24th. No charge.

At the Salford Town Hall, on Christmas eve, the school children of Salford will give their annual Christmas entertainment. Every one welcome.

Under the auspices of the Tide School, a Christmas entertainment will be given at that school on December 21st. There will be a tree and a treat for the children. A dance will follow. All welcome.

Rainy Valley school entertainment is set for Tuesday December 22nd.

Congratulations

To the newly elected village and rural municipality councilmen, the News extends congratulations.

Wonder What She Did?

One of our Williamsport schools has a pretty girl as its teacher, but she was much troubled because many of her pupils coming late every morning. At last she announced that she would kiss the first pupil to arrive the next morning. At sunrise the three largest boys of her class were sitting on the doorstep and by seven o'clock every boy in school and three directors were waiting for her to arrive.

—Emmons County Republican, Hazelton, N.D.

... OUR MOTTO ...
small profits-quick returns
—and we mean to live up to itEvaporated Apples
for this week, per lb 10c

Eggs, per dozen 35

Cleaned Currants, 1 lb

packets, 2 for 25

Currant, bulk per lb. 10

Raisins, per lb. 10

Mince Meat, fresh, 2

packets 25

Shredded coconut, lb. 30

Mixed fruits, per lb. 25

Shelled almonds, lb. 60

California White Figs

2 pds 25

Naval Oranges, large,

per lb. 35

Lombard Plums, can. 15

Hallow Dates, can. 10

Fry's Chocolates

in fancy boxes 25

B.C. Sugar, per 20lb sack

\$1.60

Tomatoes, first pick

3 cns, 2 cans for 25c

Rice, 4 lbs. 25

Corn, 2 lbs. 2 tins 25

Peas, 2 lbs. 2 tins 25

Onions, 6 lbs. 25

Bacon, per lb. 25

Pure lard, 34 lbs. per can. 50

" " 16 lbs. 25

" " 8 lbs. 20

" " 4 lbs. 15

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" " 1 lb. 1.55

Coffee, Coffee

Our well known brand 35

3 lbs. 100

A fresh lot just in

Jams

Strawberry, Raspberry etc.

5 pound can 60

2 " 10

" 25

Choice No. 1 Apples,

only \$1.75 per box.

JOHN COFFIN

The Carlstadt News

Carlstadt, Alberta.

HERBERT S. KETCHUM, Proprietor.

Card of thanks, 50 cents. Local ads among reading matter, 10c per line first insertion, 5c per line each following insertion.

Announcements of entertainments, etc., conducted by churches, societies, etc., where the object is not to make money, the notices will be published free. Legal Notices, 12c per line first insertion, 8c per line each subsequent insertion. Display advertising rates on application

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17

Calendars for 1915 are now being handed out by the business people reminding us that another year is nearly ended.

Next Monday is the shortest day of the year.

Happy is the man who can forget the mean things he knows about himself.

War taxes are being levied on many articles in the States. Also some businesses are being assessed. Theaters and concert halls must pay \$25 to \$100; brokers, \$10 to \$50; dealers in tobacco, \$3 to \$6; pool rooms and bowling alleys, \$5 for table and alley; commission merchants, \$20. Special stamps must be bought and affixed to all telegrams, etc. It would seem that the people in that country feel the effect of the war a great deal more than we do.

Some idea of the immense size of a British warship may be gained from the fact that it requires an entire train load of meat and potatoes alone to provision it.

One million dollars have been set aside by the Dominion government for seed grain for the settlers in the drouth area of southern Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan.

Government return shows an increase of 40% in the area under cultivation the west this fall compared with last year.

Make Me a Cowboy Again Backward, turn backward, O Time with your wheels.

Aeroplane wagons and automobile!

Dress me once more in sombrero and flaps,

Spurs, and a flannel shirt, slicker and chaps;

Put a six shooter or two in my hand;

Show me a yearling to rope and to brand;

Out where the sagebrush is dusty and gray—

Make me a cowboy again for a day!

Give me bronches that know how to dance,

Buckskin of color and wicked of glance,

New to the feeling of bridle and bits;

Give me a quiet that will string where it hits;

Strap on the poncho behind in a roll;

Pass me the lariat dear to my soul;

Over the trail let me gallop away—

Make me a cowboy again for a day!

Thunder of hoofs on the range, as we ride;

Hissing of iron and smoking of hide;

Bellow of cattle and snort of cayuse;

Shorthorns from Texas as wild as the dence;

Midnight stampede and the milling of herds;

Yells of the cowmen, too angry for words;

Right in the thick of it all I would stay—

Make me a cowboy again for a day!

Under the star-studded canopy vast, Campfire and coffee and comfort at last

(Bacon that sizzles and crisps in the pan).

After the roundup, smells good to a man;

Stories of ranchers and rustlers told.

Over the pipes, as the embers grow cold—

These are the tunes that old memories play—

Make me a cowboy again for a day!

The Late Lord Roberts



WIFE SHOULD BE A PARTNER

Husband Instead of a Servant which Present Laws Make Her. One Reason Why U. S. Women Keep Away from Canada

One of the most striking features of a recent convention in Regina was the address of Miss Cora E. Hinds, commercial editor of The Manitoba Free Press. She told of the work of the women upon the farm, and the reason for the falling off of the immigration from the United States was the attitude of the women folk who would not come to a country where woman had no ownership in the land she assisted her husband to buy.

She said that in her long experience, during which she has attended almost every important farming movement or meeting held in the West, she has seldom heard the women give their just praise to the men. She said she had seen the failure and collapse of many colonization schemes, and has investigated the causes of many of them.

"All my life I have worked among men, and more and more do I appreciate the woman side of the problem. Women do not like to work hard over the wash tub to assist in purchasing a bit of land or farm or house and have to say, 'I do not own it—he owns it.' I am

glad to see that we are getting past the idea of joking about women, and I suggest that you men should consider women and their share in your work.

"I have seen women turned out on the street after years of hard work, because the man partner of the firm has invested their all in a proposition she did not like, and which proved a failure. You never

can make a success until you take the women into your confidence and into your consideration.

"There are no women here save myself, and I would not have been here except that I was sent to report the men.

"Why did you not invite the women? There are many women who are members of the Home Makers Club who could have given you pointers, and would have added much value to your deliberations."

In conclusion, she declared that the solution of the problems in connection with the settlement of the West lies in the men taking the women into their confidence, and giving them a share in the proceeds of their work. —(Farmers' Tribune)

Roughly speaking, Christmas presents are divided into two classes—Those you don't want and those you don't get.

STRATHMORE U.F.A. PREPARING FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION

PASS THREE IMPORTANT RESOLUTIONS TO PRESENT TO DELEGATES

A number of important resolutions were passed at a recent meeting of the Strathmore local U.F.A., which are to be presented at the annual convention in Edmonton the latter part of January.

One of the resolutions is that the election of officers be held on the last day of the convention, instead of the first day, as at present. The present system does not give the delegates much opportunity to know the men for whom they are voting.

Another one of the resolutions embodies a scheme of banking improvement. It is as follows, moved by Henry Sorenson, seconded by M. E. Sly:

Whereas: The banking monopoly in Canada is one of the greatest deterrents to the promotion of the farming industry;

Whereas: The present laws governing the banking system in Canada are along the line of establishing and maintaining a monopoly;

RETAIL MERCHANTS AND "MADE-IN-CANADA" POLICY

Patriotism and Self-Interest Prompts Sale of Home Made Articles—Reduces Unemployment and Charity

Practical action by the Quebec branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada was taken immediately by the outbreak of the war. The following letter from the Quebec Secretary of the Association, Mr. J. A. Beaudry, offers good advice to the retailer and his customer alike. Every Canadian home should bear in mind this timely statement when she goes into the corner store to make her next purchase:

For years past, millions of dollars worth of goods have been imported into Canada from the countries involved in the war. These imports are now practically stopped and may not be resumed for a very considerable period. The consequence is that the price of all imported goods has very materially increased, and will continue to increase in proportion to the excess of the cost of production over and above what is necessary to see the supply completely exhausted within a very short time. This fact is creating some concern in the minds of the public, who seem to believe that the merchant is responsible for this.

I think it would be advisable for you to point out to your customers that in their purchases they should give preference to goods made in Canada, which would avoid paying such high prices, and would help to keep the Canadian home busy during the war. Many Canadian firms are so much in need of earning as much as possible.

To encourage home industries is a good policy at all times, but should be urged upon all this time for self-preservation, and we strongly suggest that you co-operate with your customers in this matter, thereby doing your share in educating the public to this end, and by so doing, greatly assist.

HOW WAR TIME ALTERS ROUTING IN ENGLAND

The present board "an English board" has been operating during the present war—These are among the things the men do under the Defense of the Realm Act, passed by Parliament:

"The requisition of any land, buildings, or other property in England, Wales, or Scotland, or any part thereof, to be used for gas, electricity, water works, or supply of horses, automobiles, or other vehicles, or for any other purpose, or to be used for any military purposes."

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COAL! COAL!

NOW is the time to lay in your winter's supply of coal. We handle all kinds of soft and hard coal. Prices are cheaper if you buy :

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First class in
very respect.
Rates, \$1.50 and
\$2.00 per day.
Stam-headed
Throughout

Martin
Stubbs
Prop.



Forcing a Safeguard
One of the most serious military offences on active service—one in which punishment by death—is known as "Murdering a sentinel."

When an army is moving through an enemy's country, its commanding officer places sentinels over houses of well-disposed inhabitants to prevent their being looted or pillaged. If a sentinel is found guilty with such a "safeguard" it is a military crime for which no "extenuating circumstances" are ever recognized.

Their Lime-Juice Ration

Whenever possible British soldiers are given a ration of lime-juice to prevent scurvy. It is the raw material, sour enough to turn the edge of a cold chisel. "Crab and golden syrup" are

Polonia Ponderings

Gordon Duncan who has recently returned from the harvest fields in Saskatchewan, made Carlstadt's visit this week.

A school meeting was held at the schoolhouse on Saturday Dec. 12th when Wm. Hunter was appointed to fill the office of secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis entertained the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Tom. Gray, Mrs. Zimmerman and two children; Bernice and Louis and C. A. Wallace.

Charlie Baldwin who has been spending a few days with C. A. Wallace, returned to his home at Blue Grass on Thursday.

Frank Gray left for an extended trip to the States on Thursday. Frank's batching days will soon be over.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills called on Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Swift,

The WPA of St. Mary's church are sending today their consignment of money and goods to the Red Cross Society, Calgary. The total contribution from WPA here up to date is \$10,460.00. The WPA here has 120 pairs of mitts, 22 pairs wristlets, 120 scarfs, 1 Calabala cap and \$33 in cash. One member alone, Miss Emily Brain, of Rainy Hills, contributed to the Red Cross and also sent 2 quilts to the Belongers.

Dr. Jack Dawson, who passed through Carlstadt last summer on his walk round the world for a \$10,000.00 lost out. He was due in Australia by Christmas, to win, but missed the boat from Vancouver by two days.

T. Watson, who was here on business a couple of weeks ago from the Hat, arranged for cropping a portion of his land north of town.

There was no drill of the Home Guards last week, as Colonel Hughes was ill with tonsillitis.

Job Prutting—Carlstadt News.

Excursions

to Eastern

Canada

and United

States. On

Sale Dec.

1st.

Information from F. L. Brown, C. P. R. Agent, Carlstadt.

Planet Peculiarities.

The report of the great group of minor planets found by Dr. Bevan Mars and Jupiter are sensational. Several hundred of them are now known to form the normal orbits between the two great planets, but 1580 out of this number—called Eros—was found to cross the orbit of Mars, coming nearer to the earth's orbit than any other planet. In 1906 one of the planets was discovered going beyond the orbit of Jupiter, and in 1907 another was found beyond the orbit of Mars. They are known respectively as Achilles, Petros and Nestor.

Good Grounds.

"Why do you wish to be divorced from your husband, madam?"

"Well, for one thing, he comes home every night, and he's always drunk."

"Mrs. Bacon—What?"

"I don't know. It needs something."

"I can't think what it can be. I put in everything I could find."—Yonkers Statesman.

Fitness of Things.

"Yes, sir, I can't stand it and the girl isn't all right, either. I'm a traveling preacher."

"She's all the better. I'm a traveling man."—Chicago Tribune.

Any who have cast off clothing please leave them with Mrs. E. H. Smith, or at Bean's store. The "Aides" will distribute them to needy people.

THE NEWS, CARLSTADT, ALBERTA

PIMPLES FOR THREE YEARS

Marvellous Zan-Buk Cure.

Mr. Willard F. Allen, of 203 Pleasant St., Halifax, N.S., writes: "Up to a year ago my face was a mass of pimpls, which, though not really embarrassing, caused me a good deal of pain. I used all kinds of tonics, but nothing would remove them except by my physician. These were of very little benefit to me. My face would become red and sore, and I would think that I was on the road to a permanent cure, and then the trouble would return, and the pimpls and sores be worse than ever. This condition of affairs continued for about two years."

"One day I happened to see an account of a remarkable new remedy by Zan-Buk which I thought I would try. Zan-Buk also, I sent for to try. The result was most gratifying, as that product is a large supply I persevered with the Zan-Buk for three months, and the cure was complete. My face was cleared of all unsightly pimples."

"I attribute my recovery solely to the use of Zan-Buk, as I did not use any other remedy during the time I was ill. The results were most gratifying and very obtainable. I consider my cure a wonderful triumph for Zan-Buk, and I would like to recommend it to anyone as follows: If you are suffering from pimpls, and are not getting rid of them, try Zan-Buk. All druggists and stores, 500 box 3 boxes \$1.25, or postpaid from Zan-Buk, 125, 12th Street, Toronto, Ontario. Before substitutes. Send this ad. stamp, name of paper, and 10c stamp for free box.

GERMAN BLOOD IN AMERICA

In the last ninety years 7,000,000 Germans have come to the United States. Of these more than 5,000,000 came from Germany and the balance from the Germanic Rumania, Bohemia and Eastern Switzerland. Reckoned biologically the German blood in America is one quarter, a racial infusion equal to the total contribution of Spain and Portugal to South America. —Grand Rapids Press.

The use of Miller's Powder insures healthy children so far as the elements attributable to diet are concerned. A highly nutritious children's trifle is tracable to worms. These are the strength of nations, and they are the strength of families. Let us rally to the battle for life and succumb to weakness. For life and succumb to weakness. For health and keep it.

As a result of the agricultural survey of the commission of conservation it has been found that in a number of cases the return on the investment will be profitable, while the number of cattle kept per hundred acres is seldom up to the capacity of the farms.

MINDRE LINIMENT CURES IN COWS

"Do you know that that bullock of yours killed my wife's little lamb? affectionate puppy?"

"Well, what are you going to do about it?"

"Would you be offended if I should present him with a nice brass collar?"

John Henry," said his wife, with a smile, "I am not coming out of a saloon this afternoon."

"Well, madam," replied the obtuse bullock, "We always had it in there all day, would you?"

"English mutton chops," read the man with the menu. "French fried potatoes, Russian caviar, French peau, like a sailor, I want to be strictly moral."

"Giving a Spanish omelet," —Sant's Postulating-cure.

"Roeny, why do you allow the pig to sleep in the same room with you instead of in the stable? The traveller of an Irish peasant."

"Well, why not? Don't we afford the room after every convenience that a pig can require?"

Always Keep Them In The House

That's what Mr. H. J. Eastwood, of Carlton Place, Ont., says about Gin Pills.

"I always take Gin Pills and find good for the joints, Sore Eyes and Bladder Troubles. We always keep them in the house."

Gin Pills

For the Kidneys

If you are feeling badly, perhaps it is the kidney trouble that is causing the trouble. If there is pain over the Bladder, if the urine is dark, if the eyes are sore, if the skin is scaly, if the teeth show brick dust deposits or mucus, if you can't sleep and lots of appetites, if you are bad-tempered, if you are tired all day, and feel better tomorrow.

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KING FIGHTS WITH TROOPS

Belgian Monarch in Trenches—Personal Troops

Another Severe Case Cured Through the Use of Dr. William's Fisi Pill.

"My skin is of no more value to my country than is ours. My place is to bring him up." That was the reply of King Albert of Belgium to his personal staff who urged him to leave the front. It was my privilege to be with the King in the same trenches as his little army to defend the last strip of his country. He is still unterned and unconquered. Garbed in the field uniform, he was at every point courageously leading his men.

The King passes up and down the lines, encouraging his men, and driving an automobile. At other times he is on foot. Addressing the men on the front, he said: "I am the King, and you are the same." And then "you" usually referred for members of the King's personal staff.

He is wounded, cheerless to the down-hearted.

The fire became particularly hot at the position where it was my good fortune to see him. I left the trenches and go to a position of safety at the rear. The King was not of no more value to my country than is yours," he emphatically said. "I am the King, and you are the same." And then "you" usually referred for members of the King's personal staff.

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